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PART IV.
OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 5th Saturday in 1912 (3rd February 1912).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912									
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnighly average
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	,, City & Taluk ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53	— 0	53		Seers	Seers	Seers
	Hoskote ...	...	...	...	04	...	...	...	26	— 0	26				
	Dodballapur ...	...	...	...	01	...	...	...	44	— 0	44	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	7·67
	Nelamangala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	— 0	19				
	Kankanhalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	— 0	13	Ragi	14·00	14·00	14·59
	Magadi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	— 0	33	Kulthi	15·75	15·75	...
	Channapatna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	09	— 0	09	Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·23
	Anekal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	— 0	16				
	Devanhalli ...	...	...	...	03	...	...	...	88	— 0	88				
	Closepet ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	— 0	25				
	District average...	...	...	...	01	...	...	...	33	— 0	33				
KOLAR.	Kolar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	— 0	30				
	Bowringpet ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	— 0	24	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	7·96
	Chintamani ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	— 0	42				
	Mulbagal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	64	— 0	64				
	Sidlaghatta ...	...	...	...	...	...	90	...	35	+ 0	55	Ragi	12·00	12·00	14·63
	Chikballapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53	— 0	53		to	to	
	Bagepalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	— 0	24		12·50	12·50	
	Goribidnur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	— 0	19	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
	Malur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	— 0	26				
	Srinivaspur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	— 0	44				
	Gudibanda ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	— 0	26	Kadale	9·50	9·50	8·53
	District average...	...	...	...	...	...	08	...	35	— 0	27				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur ...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	31	— 0	19				
	Maddagiri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	— 0	26				
	Chiknayakanhalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	54	...	05	+ 0	49				
	Sira ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	— 0	24	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·02
	Gubbi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	— 0	21				
	Tiptur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	— 0	13	Ragi	15·00	15·00	16·57
	Pavagada ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	— 0	22	Kulthi	17·00	17·00	...
	Kunigal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	— 0	19	Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·11
	Koratagere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	— 0	34				
	Turuvekere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	— 0	28				
	District average ...	...	...	...	...	...	07	...	23	— 0	16				

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					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE.														
Mysore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	— 0	27				
Chamrajnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	— 0	44		Seers	Seers	Seers
Seringapatam ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	— 0	21	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·00	7·75
Hunsur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	— 0	26				
Yedatore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	— 0	16	Ragi	14·00	15·00	14·92
Heggaddevankote ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	— 0	23	Kulthi	17·00	16·00	...
Gundlupet ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49	— 0	49	Kadale	9·00	8·00	8·09
Nanjangud ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	— 0	23				
T. Narsipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	— 0	29				
Malvalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	— 0	20				
Mandya ...	...	...	...	...	...	07	...	33	— 0	26				
Krishnarajpete ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	— 0	27				
Nagamangala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	— 0	42				
District average...	...	...	...	...	...	01	...	29	— 0	28				
HASSAN.														
Hassan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	05	— 0	05				
Manjarabad (Saklespur) ...	...	...	...	...	...	24	...	11	+ 0	13	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·50	8·50	9·23
Arkalgud ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	— 0	17				
Belur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	— 0	22	Ragi	16·00	16·00	18·13
Channarayapatna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	09	— 0	09	Kulthi	18·00	18·00	...
Arsikere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	09	— 0	09	Kadale	9·50	9·00	8·97
Hole-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	— 0	28				
Alur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	06	— 0	06				
District average...	...	...	...	...	...	03	...	13	— 0	10				
SHIMOGA.														
Shimoga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	— 0	11				
Channagiri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	08	— 0	08	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	9·01
Honnali ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	— 0	12				
Shikarpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ragi	18·00	18·00	18·81
Sorab ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	05	— 0	05	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Sagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	— 0	22				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	— 0	11				
Tirthahalli. ...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	14	+ 0	01				
Kumsi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	04	— 0	04				
District average...	...	...	...	...	...	02	...	10	— 0	08				
KADUR.														
Chikmagalur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	— 0	24				
Kadur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	— 0	11	Rice, 2nd sort.	10·00	8·50	10·23
Tarikere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	08	— 0	08				
Koppa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	— 0	27	Ragi	16·00	16·00	17·57
Mudgere ...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	11	— 0	01	Kulthi	15·00	15·00	...
Yedahalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	03	— 0	03	Kadale	9·00	8·00	8·21
Sringeri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	— 0	13				
District average...	...	...	...	...	...	01	...	14	— 0	13				
CHITALDRUG.														
Chitaldrug ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	— 0	25				
Challakere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	— 0	13	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	8·07
Hiriyur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	— 0	18				
Holalkere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	— 0	26	Ragi	18·00	18·00	17·69
Davangere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	04	— 0	04	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	...
Molakalmuru ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	— 0	15	Cholum	16·00	16·00	18·14
Jagalur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	04	— 0	04	Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·07
Hosdurga ...	...	...	...	...	...	36	...	10	+ 0	26				
Harihar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	— 0	30				
District average...	...	...	...	...	...	04	...	16	— 0	12				
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
Provincial average...	...	...	...	...	...	03	...	21	— 0	18				

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. | Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus. | Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana | Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·64	7·19	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	14·07	13·40	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Paddy thrashing.

Probable outturn of harvests.—Ragi, yield 8 annas.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for the cultivation of sugar cane in parts of the Anekal Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane, castor and paddy are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane in parts of the Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their estimated outturn.—Paddy in parts of the Bangalore, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks; yield from 4 to 8 annas, 8 annas, and from 4 to 12 annas, respectively. Sugar cane in parts of the Bangalore and Devanhalli Taluks; yield from 6 to 10 annas, and from 6 to 12 annas, respectively, and avare in parts of the Bangalore and Devanhalli Taluks; yield 4 annas and from 4 to 12 annas, respectively.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague throughout the district, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar cane and mulberry are reported to be in fairly good condition.

Crops sown.—Paddy in the Malur and Sidlaghatta Taluks and sugar cane in the Chintamani and Bagepalli Taluks.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Sugar cane in almost all the taluks, yield from 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fairly good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" in the Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks, cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *State of standing crops* is good in the Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks and the Koratagere Taluk, and fair in the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks and the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. In the Sira Taluk, it is reported that the standing crops are withering.